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In re Patent Application of: Tsuyoshi HIRAMATSU et al.

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For: PRESSURE SENSITIVE ADHESIVE SHEETS

FOR REMOVAL OF SOLVENT-CONTAINING SUBSTANCES

Examiner: V. S. Chang

PRELIMINARY REMARKS WITH

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 18, 2005, and further in response to the Advisory Action of September 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.